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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>				Docket No. 0171-1250PUS1	
Application No. 10/561,152	Filing Date December 16, 2005	Examiner Not Yet Assigned	Art Unit N/A		
Applicant(s): Yukio NAGASAKI et al.					
Invention: DIAMINE HAVING QUINOXALINE UNIT, POLYIMIDE PRECURSOR, POLYIMIDE AND USE THEREOF					
<b>MS Amendment</b> Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.